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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 5270**
Takanori SHINOKI et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2000_0465A
Serial No. 09/529,255 : Group Art Unit 1771
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STATUS INQUIRY

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Sir:

Please advise the undersigned Attorney of Record as to the present status of the above identified application, and advise when an Official Action may be expected.

Respectfully submitted,

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